

**VARIATION OF CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO APPROVAL****Meadowbank Station vegetation clearing for high value cropping, south of Mt Garnet, Queensland (EPBC 2016/7838)**

This decision to vary conditions of approval is made under section 143 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act).

**Approved action**

**Person to whom the approval is granted**

G P Cameron and L J Cameron

ABN: 21 465 266 042

**Approved action**

To clear 1,365 hectares for the production of forage and grain crops on Lot 537, SP132224, Meadowbank Station, 100 km south of Mt Garnet, Queensland. [See EPBC Act referral 2016/7838 and Variation Notice published 14 December 2017]

**Controlling Provisions****Listed Threatened Species and Communities**

Section 18

Approved

Section 18A

Approved

**Variation**

**Variation of conditions attached to approval**

The variation is:

Delete conditions 1 and 2 attached to the approval and substitute with the conditions specified in table below.

Delete the definition of **Clear/ing** attached to the approval and substitute with the definition specified in the table below.

Delete the map at Attachment A of the approval and substitute with the map at Attachment A below.

**Date of effect**

This variation has effect on the date the instrument is signed

**Person authorised to make decision**

**Name and position**

Monica Collins  
Chief Compliance Officer  
Office of Compliance

**Signature**

**Date of decision**

23 December 2019

Date of decision	Conditions attached to approval
As varied on the date this instrument was signed	1. The <b>person taking the action</b> must not <b>clear</b> more than 1,358 hectares from the 'area to be cleared' shown at Attachment A.
As varied on the date this instrument was signed	<p>2. The <b>person taking the action</b> must not <b>clear</b> any of the 113 hectares of <b>Greater Glider (<i>Petauroides volans</i>) habitat</b> shown at Attachment A.</p> <p>2A. If the existing road, which runs through the <b>Greater Glider (<i>Petauroides volans</i>) habitat</b> shown at Attachment A, needs to be widened for vehicle movement purposes or road maintenance, then the <b>approval holder</b> must identify and provide the <b>Department</b> with GPS coordinates of the trees that will be cleared. The trees must not be cleared unless the <b>Department</b> has approved the clearing in writing.</p>

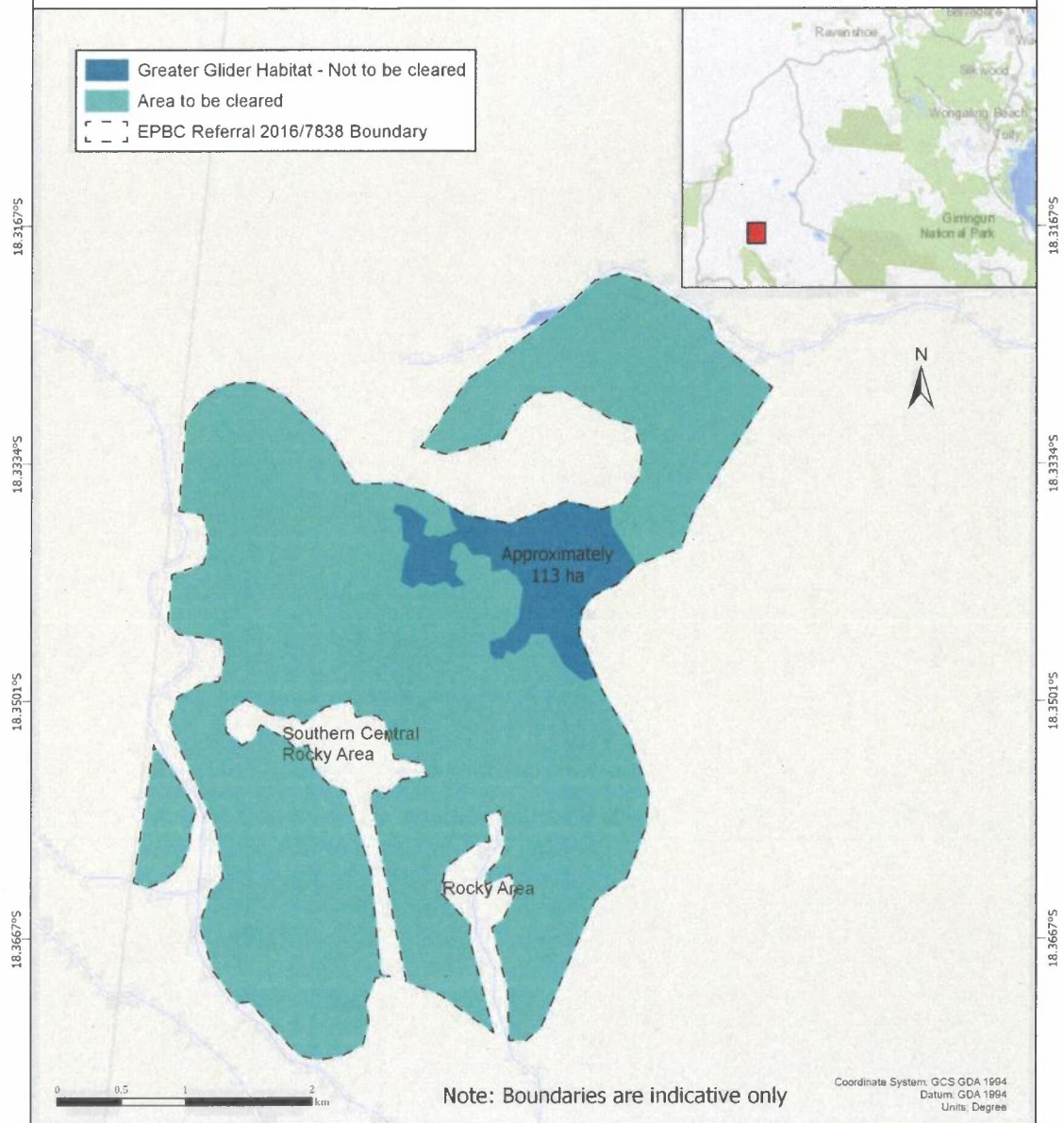
Date of decision	Definitions attached to approval
As varied on the date this instrument was signed	<p><b>Clear/ing</b> means the cutting down, felling, thinning, logging, removing, killing, destroying, poisoning, ringbarking, uprooting or burning of vegetation (but not including weeds – see the <i>Australian weeds strategy 2017 to 2027</i> available from <a href="http://www.agriculture.gov.au/pests-diseases-weeds/pest-animals-and-weeds/review-aus-pest-animal-weed-strategy/aus-weeds-strategy">http://www.agriculture.gov.au/pests-diseases-weeds/pest-animals-and-weeds/review-aus-pest-animal-weed-strategy/aus-weeds-strategy</a> for further guidance). <b>Clear/ing</b> does not include prescribed burns or livestock grazing, for the purpose of bushfire management and asset protection, if burning does not adversely impact the tree canopy or any tree hollows of the Greater Glider habitat.</p>

Date of decision

Attachment A

As varied on the date this instrument was signed

## EPBC Referral 2016/7838 - Meadowbank Adjusted Clearing



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